

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yoshiyuki KAMIHARA

Group Art Unit: 2611

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For: SAMPLING CLOCK GENERATION CIRCUIT, DATA TRANSFER CONTROL DEVICE,
AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT

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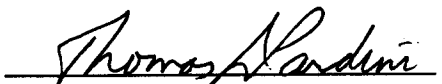
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